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Dear

Pursuant to our conversation this morning, this letter is requesting certain information, whether classified or unclassified, pertaining to North Korean military expenditures. The attached sheet sets out in more detail our question.

Thanks for your cooperation.

Sincerely yours,

Attachment

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In order to complete certain sections of the Subcommittee's final report to Congress the following information is required:

- 1) North Korean defense expenditures: 1966-1977
- 2) South Korean defense expenditures: 1966-1977
- 3) A discussion of any difficulties in comparing defense expenditures of the ROK and the DPRK.
- 4) Amount of military assistance to the DPRK:1966-77. (indicate granting nation)
- 5) Amount of military sales to DPRK:1966-77 (indicate selling nation)
- 6) Amount of military assistance to ROK: 1966-77
- 7) Amount of military sales to ROK: 1966-77.

Aggregate figures for each of the years will be sufficient. In cases where more than one nation provided assistance or sold arms, aggregate figures for each nation are requested.

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